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Time of Arrival and Departure of Trains at Reno.

ARRIVES	TRAIN.	DEPARTS
8:35 p. m.	SOUTHERN PACIFIC.	8:45 p. m.
8:00 a. m.	No. 2, Eastbound fast mail	8:10 a. m.
9:20 p. m.	No. 2, Westbound fast mail	9:30 a. m.
8:00 p. m.	No. 4, Westbound fast mail	9:35 a. m.
11:40 a. m.	No. 1, Virginia Express.	8:55 a. m.
8:00 p. m.	No. 2, San Fran. Express.	8:55 a. m.
8:00 p. m.	No. 3, Local Passenger.	8:55 a. m.
8:00 p. m.	No. 4, Local Passenger.	8:55 a. m.
8:15 p. m.	N.-D.-O. & W. Express and Freight.	8:40 a. m.
8:15 p. m.	Express and Freight.	8:40 a. m.

Time of Arrival and Departure of Mails at Reno.

MAIL	ARRIVES	CLOSES.
San Francisco, Sacramento, and all California and Oregon points.	8:45 a. m.	8:00 a. m.
Golden, all Eastern points.	8:15 p. m.	8:00 a. m.
Carson, Virginia, and all Southern points.	8:55 p. m.	8:00 a. m.
Sumatra, all points north.	8:15 p. m.	8:00 a. m.

Buffalo Meadows and Sheephead mail arrives at 8:45 P. M. and close every Friday at 8:00 A. M.

& T. looked pouch from Virginia and Carson arrives at 11:45 A. M.; mail for same closes at 8:30 P. M.

Postoffices Hours:

From 8:00 A. M. to 10 P. M. Sundays from 9 to 10 A. M.

FIFTY-CENT COLUMN.

All classes of legitimate advertisements not exceeding six lines inserted in this column at 50 cents per week.

Situation Wanted.

A woman wishes to secure a position in town or country. Inquire at Chris. Christensen's store, North Virginia street above City Hotel.

Woman Wants Work.

A capable woman to do house work wants employment in town or country. Leave word at Mrs. Hall's residence, 1st street near Primary School.

House for Sale Once.

I have a fine modern house of five rooms situated in Marsh's Addition, near Mrs. Lake's, which I will sell very cheap as I desire to leave as soon as possible. For particulars inquire of P. RASMUSSEN.

To Whom it May Concern:

I will not be responsible for any work done on the White Horse mine or its tributaries. MRS. JOHN STONE. Jnt-30ds

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A ranch with 636 acres, mostly enclosed, one mile from Carson. MRS. JOHN P. SWEENEY. 5-19d Carson City.

Money Saved is Money Made.

I will take orders for the finest suits made by Miller & Co., Chicago, from \$10 to \$40 per suit. No moth eaten or shoddy goods delivered. Perfect fit guaranteed. Money refunded. Most complete line of samples ever shown in Reno. B. ROTHSCHILD. 6-21f Cor. Lincoln and Douglas Ave.

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In Reno, a large well furnished house centrally located with large garden plot and orchard under good cultivation, also barn and outbuildings, will be sold or rented at reasonable terms to right parties. Apply or address JOURNAL office.

Washoe Lunch Counter and Saloon. For a fine meal or a cool glass of beer, best liquors of all kinds or a good cigar call at the Washoe Lunch Counter and Saloon. A private dining room has been placed at the rear of the counter.

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SAUER & GROB. Proprietors.

Dealers in Meats of All Kinds.

Finest of Beef, Pork, Mutton, Veal.

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Sausages of all Kinds a Specialty. Virginia Street, Reno, Nev. Janitif

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Call attention to their new stock of

FIRST-CLASS GROCERIES.

ALL GOODS FRESH AND BEST QUALITY.

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LARD and

SALT FISH.

A specialty. Satisfaction guaranteed. Everything cheap for cash.

Original Ideas Advanced by an Intelligent Savage of Tender Years.

There is nothing more original than the early composition of an Indian boy. The following example is still preserved as an instance in which its savage author epitomized an unconscious parable and with excellent humor the relations of the red man and his white brother, says the New York Mail and Express. It is entitled "Story of Good Bird and Bad Cat." The essay follows:

"One day, bright day, a little bird happy and stood on a log and sang all day long. That bird doesn't know anything about cat. She thinks nobody is near her. But behind the near log old sly cat is watching. She wants to eat for supper, and she thinks about stealing all the time. The old cat came very slowly, and by and by she goes after the little bird, but she does not see him and sang loud again. She let him in? That's a question. Women are apt to look upon love and marriage as purely sentimental, and the author of this fiction. That is pretty neatly right; yet there is a practical side to it too, and the best way to preserve the ideal aspect of marriage and matrimony is not to forget the practical part of it. A woman cannot be a good wife, a good wife and mother unless the distinctive physical organism of her sex is in a healthy and vigorous condition. The best friend that woman ever had is the "Favorite Prescription," and R. V. Pierce, of Consulting Physician of the Invalids' Hospital and Surgical Institute, Buffalo, N. Y. The "Prescription" is a perfect and infallible remedy for every form of "female weakness." It cures by restoring health and strength to the internal organs which cannot be reached by any application. The cure is radical, complete and constitutional.

Dr. Pierce's eminent reputation as a physician of wide learning, and his special knowledge of the delicate and intricate organization of women, accounts for the unparalleled confidence with which he prescribes.

Dr. R. V. Pierce, Dear Sir— I suffered fourteen years in lifeless, nervous, prostrated, and general debility, trying everything I could to help me—all to avail. I then heard of Dr. Pierce's medicines and although I was thoroughly disengaged, I thought it worth the trouble to go to him. I took his "Golden Medical Discovery" and "Favorite Prescription," and too great praise cannot be given for the rapid relief they gave me. I am now free from the former troubles. Very sincerely yours,

(Mrs.) Mary J. Stewart.

Box 46, Saratoga, Santa Clara Co., Cal.

Truckee Lodge, No. 14, I. O. O. F.

TRUCKEE LODGE, NO. 14, I. O. O. F.

O. N. meets their new hall in Second street, Reno, Nev., every Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. Punctual attendance of members is requested. Sojourning brothers in good standing are cordially invited to attend.

W. S. DABNEY, N. G. M. FREDRICK, Recording Secretary.

PEOPLE'S RESTAURANT!

E. S. LIEVRE, formerly of the Palace, has opened the ROYAL RESTAURANT on Virginia street, formerly run by W. T. Clark, in the Nevada Restaurant.

Wine Dinner Every Sunday for 25c

FRESH OYSTERS IN EVERY STYLE AT ALL TIMES.

Polite and attentive Waiters. Uable patronage solicited.

Amity Lodge, No. 8, K. of P.

THE REGULAR MEETINGS OF AMITY Lodge, No. 8, Knights of Pythias, in Oldfield Building, on Main and New Streets, commanding at 8 o'clock sharp. All Knights in good standing are "externally invited to attend." By order of the Chancellor. S. J. HOGG, K. of P. & S.

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THE LEADING BUTCHERS OF RENO.

Meats of All Kinds at Wholesale and Retail.

The Finest Beef, Mutton, Pork, Veal, Sausage

CONSTANTLY ON HAND. ALSO HAM, BACON AND DRIED BEEF.

Bologna, Bloodwurst, Liverwurst, Weinerwurst and Headcheese.

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5 pound can - - 60 cents
3 pound can - - 40 cents

SHOP—Corner Commercial Row and Sierra Street, Reno. Fancy Meats of all kinds put up in the Finest Style of the Arand delivered to all parts of the city free of charge.

SACRAMENTO BREWING COMPANY.

RUHSTALLER'S

Gilt Edge Steam Beer on Draught,

AT THE

WINE HOUSE,

Commercial Row, Reno, Nev.

SPIRO FRANCOVICH

PROPRIETOR

SURE OF A FINE FUNERAL

Men of Lubee, Me., provide for Mortuary Emergencies.

The town of Lubee, Me., is one of the go-ahead villages of the Pine Tree state, and the one thing wanting to enable it to keep up with the procession is a hearse. The citizens investigated the condition of surrounding towns, and learned that every one of them had a hearse, and they considered it a burning and municipal shame that Lubee should be so far behind the times. Therefore, it was resolved to have one, although, according to the rates of longevity in Lubee, it was not considered likely there would be much use for it, says the Lewiston Journal.

A mass meeting of the citizens was called to discuss the grave subject. The enthusiasm was unbounded, and it was at once decided to purchase the vehicle by voluntary subscriptions, making a sort of joint stock concern or hearse corporation. Each subscriber chipped in one dollar, but the wary and thrifty Lubecians insisted upon a provision whereby he is enabled to get a share for his white ally. It was unanimously agreed that if any stockholder had use for the hearse within a certain number of years from the date of his subscription, he, the said subscriber, should be entitled to a rebate of the sum paid in.

Now the Lubecians await the approach of the grim destroyer without emotion. In the event of his death, he is assured of a first-class funeral, with plumes and all the outward trappings of woe, and he gets his money back besides.

FINAL "A" BAD FOR SHIPS.

Some Recent Wrecks Were Guilty of That Lack of Foresight.

Insurance underwriters look askance at vessels which have a final "A" in their names. The first letter of the alphabet is considered a hoodoo when it ends the name of a deep sea ship. Many of the most serious wrecks of the last year have been of vessels carrying the hoodoo letter.

One day lately, says the San Francisco Examiner, the telegraph announced that the British ship Androsa, from that port for Liverpool with one of the most valuable cargoes that was ever carried out of that harbor, was lost within a few leagues of her destination. The next day word was received that the Orsula, bound from Victoria for Liverpool, had been swept by heavy seas and badly damaged. Her mate and one sailor were drowned. The wires told on the same day of the total loss of the British ship Villanta and the drowning of her master near Fremantle, and a few days later the paper gave the news of the loss of the steamer Wallace and of the beaching of the Dora in Alaska waters.

During the last two or three years the most serious wrecks on the coast were of vessels whose names ended with the hoodoo letter. The wreck of the Collima was the most horrifying of all. Then came the loss of the steamer Columbia, and a few weeks later the passenger steamer Umatilla ran ashore and narrowly escaped destruction.

Different Undertaking.

The company which undertook to lay a cable in the Amazon river is having a hard time. Engineers now assert that such a cable cannot be made a success on account of the current and many obstructions in the river bed.—Albany Journal.

RENO BOTTLING WORKS

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THE FINEST BEER ON THE MARKET

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For Family Use or Medicinal Purposes a Specialty.

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...PARRY BROTHERS..

Sole Agents and Bottlers of the Celebrated

John Wieland Beer

Have just received a large quantity of Steam Beer which they can supply at reasonable prices in quantities to suit.

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ASTERN ADVERTISING OFFICE, 230
to 234 Temple Court, New York City
E. Katz, Agent.

THE COAL MINERS' STRIKE.

The Philadelphia American, a paper which is edited by Wharton Barker, a banker who believes in free coinage and a tariff that will benefit the workingman, not the trusts, says of the coal miners' strike:

"Yet, we repeat, if ever men had cause to strike, the coal miners of today have that cause. By cuts in the rate of pay and by enforced idleness, their wages have been so reduced as to bring them to extreme poverty. We lately had a report, made by an investigating committee of the Legislature of Pennsylvania, to the effect that the average earnings of the miners of Pennsylvania were in the neighborhood of but \$4 a week. In the coal fields of Illinois, the average weekly earnings of a miner are given at but \$2, out of which they are expected to pay rent and support their homes. That they must go hungry is plain. So they have been driven to desperation. Might as well starve striking for living wages as starve at grinding toll, is their feeling, and so their resort to a strike into which they have been spurred by the magnified reports of industrial revivals and minimized reports of industrial shut-downs catered up by the metropolitan press reports, that have given rise to false hopes.

"We have spoken of the average wage of the Pennsylvania miner as but \$4 a week. But this is a greater wage than the average miner in reality receives. Added to his loss of income through wage cuts and enforced idleness, is the loss in the purchasing power of his scanty wage through the despicable practice of paying him his wage, not in money, but in orders on the company stores. And at these stores exorbitant prices, exorbitant as compared to prices ruling in other stores, are charged for supplies. And these exorbitant prices, the miner, paid in store orders, must pay, for his store orders commonly pieces of metal calling for so many cents' worth of goods at the company stores, and absolutely worthless at all other stores. So we have, through this practice of payment in store orders, a virtual cut in the wages of miners below that nominally paid, and because of this practice all the more reason has the miner to strike for an increase of wages.

"In the circular calling out the miners on strike, the National Executive Board of the United Mine Workers makes this significant assertion: 'The signs of the time, as pointed out by the press and by the testimony of men versed in public affairs, are that business is reviving, that an upward tendency in prices of all commodities is apparent. In the general business revival and industrial improvement which is earnestly proclaimed we ought to share, and if we do not attempt to share we shall be false to ourselves and those dependent upon us.'

"And who, other than the heartless task-master, will gainsay this? Surely if there has been a revival in industry the wage-earner should share in it. The promised revival, the promised prosperity is surely not alone for the employer; it has been promised to the wage-earner no less than the employer. And so, now that we are told the promised prosperity is at hand, the coal miners insist on sharing it. And if the promised prosperity is not at hand, if it has not come, he is not to be harshly judged for demanding to share in that which is a myth, yet which he has been told is a fact. Especially is it unjust for the metropolitan papers that have insisted on the presence of prosperity to so judge him. Yet they do judge him and condemn him, condemn him for demanding a share in that which does not exist, yet which they have told him does exist, condemn him for following their false teachings."

TO COMPLETE THE PANAMA CANAL.

An understanding has been reached between France and Great Britain looking to the completion and control of the Panama Canal. Germany was invited to participate, but owing to Greeko-Turkish complications her assent has been delayed, though it will undoubtedly come in time. Now an effort is being made to learn if the United States will come in and form a quadruple alliance for the completion and neutralization of the canal.

Should such an alliance be effected it would be the most powerful for peace the world has ever seen. Fourteen hundred and seventy-seven naval vessels, mounting 15,233 guns, and manned by 178,835 seamen, would stand for the protection of the canal under the flags of the four great powers named. They would represent a gross merchant marine tonnage of 18,888,956, nearly three-quarters of the world's shipping against 6,718,676 for all the rest of the world.

The Railway Age reports that only 622 miles of track have been laid in the United States during the first half of 1897. This is less than the corresponding period of any year since 1875, with the exception of 1894, when only 526 miles of track had been laid up to July 1st. In twenty-six of the States and territories no track has been laid this year.

The Republican Club League closed its session at Detroit yesterday. New officers were elected and Omaha selected as the next place to hold the convention of the National League.

TELEGRAPHIC NOTES.

Edward Frey of Stockton, a lad of 17 years, is dying from lockjaw as a result of injuries received from falling down a well a week ago. He fell 65 feet and remained in the water for three hours.

Colonel Chas. F. Crocker's condition was less hopeful yesterday, a change having occurred in the afternoon for the worse. His physician had hoped until the change came that they could pull him through.

John Scott Oliver, the California deputy sheriff who was indicted last week in New York for abduction, attempted suicide in the Tombs prison yesterday. This is his second attempt at suicide since his arrest.

Emma Symonds, wife of an engine fitter at London, England, cut the throats of her four young children Wednesday night and then her own. As Symonds returned home at 1 o'clock he stumbled over the bodies of his wife and children. Whisky was the cause of the deed.

The Senate tabled Stewart's motion to reconsider its action directing the Secretary of War to execute the San Pedro, Cal., harbor project and passed Thurston's resolution providing for the participation of the United States in the Paris Exposition.

Stewart and White had a hot controversy over the San Pedro matter, White intimating that Stewart represented the Southern Pacific Company and the latter resented it.

Tillman's bill to make distilled spirits transported from one State to another subject to the State laws the same as liquor distilled within the State was passed.

A joint proposal of bimetallism was presented at London yesterday on behalf of the United States and France at a conference held at the Foreign office. Representatives of the United States, France and England were present, and after some discussion the proposals were taken under advisement and the British Cabinet will give its answer at a subsequent conference. It is reported that an international conference will be summoned, probably to meet in the United States, with Great Britain participating. Delegates will be uninterested as regards the ratio, although it is well known that the United States favors 16 and France 15½ to 1.

The London newspapers are enraged over the sharp reply of Secretary Sherman to Lord Salisbury on the seal controversy. The papers say that the lion's tail is twisted again, and the American eagle shrieks at England. Others call the reply "yankee insolence." The *Globe* editorially says: "Englishmen will be glad to see that Lord Salisbury has, so far as a patrol of the seal fisheries is concerned, treated the message as though it had never been sent. If he were to go a step further and to direct Sir Julian Pauncefote to intimate to Mr. McKinley that Her Majesty's Government declines to receive dispatches couched in such language, and could only reply to the next by handing Colonel Hay his passport, the question would be endorsed by the complete approval of the nation."

The Trans-Mississippi Congress was called to order at 9 o'clock yesterday morning. An immense crowd was in attendance, due to the fact that Wm. J. Bryan, President of the Congress, was expected to be present and preside. A number of resolutions were offered and referred. Wm. J. Bryan entered the hall and was greeted with wild enthusiasm. Mr. Bryan took the chair and a delegate proposed three cheers for Bryan and as chairman he promptly ruled the motion out of order. Mr. Bryan then expressed his regret at being detained from the Congress, but he was fully in accord with the movements of the Congress. He referred to the work of the Congress covering the mining interest, also irrigation. He concluded by saying: "We will rear a people in the great West that will stand for American liberty and American progress."

CHINESE OBSTACLES.

Evil Spirits Which Must Be Driven Out.

If a house is to be repaired wonderful forethought is necessary. The evil spirits which are supposed to occupy each dwelling that mortals have inhabited cause the carpenter no end of trouble and no trifling expense, says Lippincott's. First, an astrologer must be consulted with regard to the most lucky day for beginning the work; then a square suspended from the ridge-beam is a notification to the spirits of darkness that their dwelling-place is to be disturbed, wherefore the square thing for them to do is to move out quietly and peacefully. Next the carpenters make offerings to these unseen residents. These gifts seem to say: "If you please, spirits of darkness, accept this bribe and speedily take your flight."

Next the neighbors must be warned that these evil influences are about to be turned loose, perhaps to seek shelter under a neighboring roof. Every house on that street receives a notice that upon a certain day and hour repairs are to begin on the dwelling of Ah Sin. Each household can then pay the imps not to enter their doorway, but to go to the next neighbor.

Even the farmer cannot begin his work in the spring until after the national festivals are celebrated in honor of the special gods who are supposed to make it their particular business to look after the welfare of those who till the soil. In a land where more than 100,000,000 people are supported by agriculture, where many farms have been in cultivation for three or even four milleniums, we naturally expect to find skill in that line of work. In this we are not disappointed, for Chinese farming is scientific handwork.

SPECIAL SALE Of Men's Clothing and Gent's Furnishing Goods.

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In order to make room for my

I offer for sale all of my present stock of goods at a reduction of 20 per cent. My stock consists of

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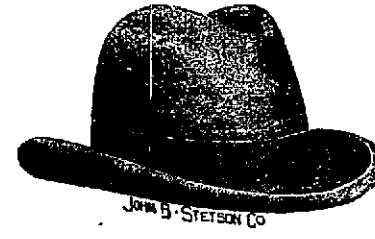
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JOHN SUNDERLAND.

Great Clearance Sale!

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All must be sold at cost in order to make room for my Fall Goods. Also

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Hats and Caps,

Trunks and Valises,

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It Is Not Practicing

economy to buy an unreliable syringe, simply because it is cheap. Syringes, above all things, should be as reliable as the day is long. Durability and reliability are the essential features of the syringes we sell at the cost of inferior goods. Warrented to give satisfaction and as good as money can buy.

Prescriptions compounded by registered pharmacist. Popular prices.

Wm. Pinniger's Pharmacy.

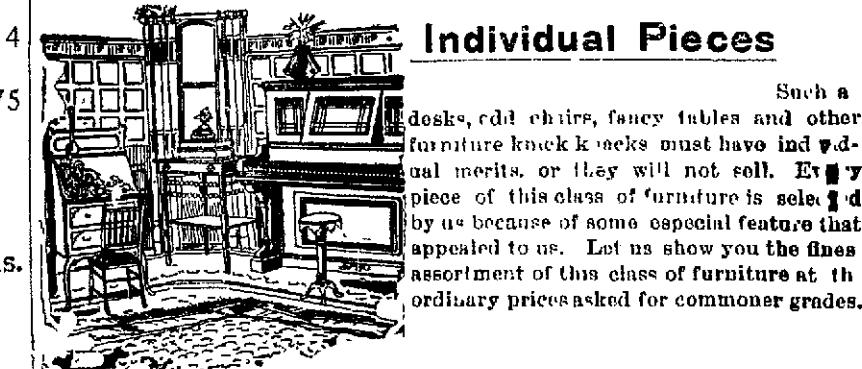


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And you might do worse. It won't cost you anything to find out whether we can or cannot give you better bargains in wall paper than other stores are offering. If we can, it is money in your pocket. We think it worth the risk.

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Individual Pieces

Such a desk, odd chairs, fancy tables and other furniture knock backs must have individual merits, or they will not sell. Every piece of this class of furniture is selected by us because of some especial feature that appealed to us. Let us show you the fine assortment of this class of furniture at the ordinary prices asked for commoner grades.

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BREVITIES.

Screen doors and windows at Lange & Schmitt's.

Water pipe laid cheap by Lange & Schmitt.

G. W. Sawyer of Wadsworth spent the day here yesterday.

H. I. Babcock of San Francisco spent the day here yesterday.

D. L. Bliss of Carson was a west-bound passenger yesterday morning.

Hon. A. J. McCone of Virginia was a westward-bound passenger last night.

For a fine cigar or any of the popular brands of cigarettes go to Charlie Leko's.

H. Ritter does a general jobbing trade in his line. All orders promptly filled and on short notice.

Ruhstaller's celebrated steam beer, the best on the market, at Spiro Franchovich's Wine House.

Mrs. Dan Hickey and family were passengers for California yesterday morning, where they will reside.

Refrigerators, icecream freezers, garden hose, lawn mowers, the best and cheapest at Lange & Schmitt's.

Wm. Wright, (Dan de Quille), wife and daughter took the train for Iowa yesterday morning, where they will reside.

Go to the Louvre for a nice cool glass of Sierra mountain steam or lager beer; the finest lager on the coast.

Ice froze to the thickness of three-quarters of an inch last Wednesday night at Leddies, 6 miles west of Austin.—Reville.

Frank Emmitt, Secretary of the Agricultural Society, is preparing and sending out advertising matter for the coming State Fair.

C. G. Powning is rapidly gaining his accustomed health and strength and when asked yesterday how he felt, replied "like a two year old."

Steve Young and family of Lovelock accompanied by Mrs. Cozzens and Mrs. A. L. Dunlap left for Pacific Grove on Wednesday evening for the summer.

Blank books, fancy and plain stationery, writing tablets, pocket memorandum and, in fact, everything in the stationer's line at Becker's Model.

S. G. Porteous of the Porteous Decorating Company, who was threatened with a severe spell of sickness, is up and around again and will be as good as new.

W. G. Caffrey has returned from Gold Creek and is much impressed with the outlook and life in that camp as well as other portions of Eastern Nevada.

George J. Smith of Reno is at Tucarao looking after his mining interests in that section. He is owner of the Era mine at Tucarao and it has a record as a great producer.

Will Webster, foreman of the JOURNAL office, has been confined to his room with illness for the past three days. Last evening he was suffering intensely and Dr. Gibson was called.

The Hotel at Independence Lake has been thoroughly renovated and is now open for business. The very best of accommodations are guaranteed. Mrs. H. M. Clemens, proprietor. jy146*

If a nice negligee or golf shirt is wanted, the neatest of Summer neck wear, hats, caps, light underwear or in fact anything in his line of the latest fashion and best quality, try Sunderland's.

A. Nelson will sacrifice his stock of furnishing goods in order to make room for new goods. Now is the time to get bargains. Call at his store on Virginia street. Free employment office connected with the store. *

Call at Miller & Stump's Pabst agency for fine California and imported wines for family and medicinal purposes. Sherry, port, muscated, anjelica and all dry wines by the gallon. Open every day until 7 o'clock. t

A magnificient cup 22 inches in height, of silver and gold, in the proportions of 16 to 1 will be presented to W. J. Bryan at Salt lake during the session of the Trans-Mississippi Congress of which he is President. Various mining companies have made donations of silver towards its composition.

The Christian Endeavorers are scattering in all directions from San Francisco, some visiting the interior towns and others going north and south by easy stages to their eastern homes. By the end of the week it is anticipated that the visiting members will have all left San Francisco.

At the Riverside—A. E. Borland, Rye Patch, Nev.; E. Berge, John S. Mitchell, Harry I. Babcock, Geo. C. Putnam, Harry Clark, W. T. Hoffman, all of San Francisco; Mrs. C. H. Smith, and Mrs. E. T. Van Gorder, Elgin, Ill.; Geo. W. Sawyer, Wadsworth; R. R. Gumbert, Pittsburgh, Pa.; Mrs. Reinhardt, Oakland.

If a man wants to get acquainted with human nature let him edit a newspaper. He knows little of the ups and downs in this life unless he has served in this capacity. He may be a banker, merchant, doctor, lawyer, have sawed wood, been a member of the school board, church janitor, or served as city dad, still he needs a brief experience as the editor of a local paper to complete his knowledge of the many freaks there are in human nature.

The Planet Venus to be Seen at Mid-day.

The planet Venus can now be seen in the west-ern sky shortly after noon, in spite of the sun's rays. The invasion of San Francisco by the Christian Endeavorers last week and the appearance of this star at mid-day created next to consternation in that sinful city. The natives whispered all sorts of impending evil, principally earthquakes, while the visiting Endeavorers endeavored to look upon the star as a hopeful and propitious sign of their successful convention, yet many of them quaked in their shoes for fear they never would reach their Eastern homes.

Now comes Carson with her prize-fighting arena and other alluring and other sinful adjuncts with a report that crowds of people are on the street gazing at the planet notwithstanding the glare of the sun at 96 Fahrenheit. It would take more than a star shining in the day time, however, to distract Carson, for if it were possible her citizens would form a stock company and put a fence around the planet and charge admission.

Henry Ritter will leave for San Francisco this morning.

Mrs. J. J. Linn was a passenger for California last night.

C. C. Powning was a passenger for San Francisco last evening.

Miss Hattie Pfeffley of Fresno was passenger for Amedee yesterday morning.

Both east and west-bound passenger trains were an hour or more late last night.

Hon. S. Summerfield left for San Francisco last evening on professional business.

Miss Sarah Baker and Miss Lucy Davis took the train for Lake Tahoe last evening.

Miss C. Moore of Virginia arrived on the V. & T. last evening and took the train for California.

Miss E. H. King was a passenger last evening for Truckee, where she expects to remain a few weeks.

If you want an excellent noonday lunch and a cool refreshing glass of A. C. beer Thyses is the place to go.

Every article in his stock is first class.

Tremendous Reduction Sale in Dry Goods at Emeric's.

A reduction of fully twenty-five per cent is made and many articles are sold at less than wholesale cost. The following articles are enumerated to show what is being done: 25 yards Scotch lawn, fast colors, for \$1; 25 yards Trouville challis, fast colors, for \$1; French organdie, which formerly sold at 12¢ cents per yard, now sell at 6 1/2 cents; best imported lapette mulls, usual price 25 cents, now 18 1/2 cents; 25 yards Merrimac calico for \$1; children's triple knee black ribbed hose two pair for 25 cents; embroidered handkerchiefs at 5 cents each; lace, embroidery, dress goods of all kinds, balanced of carpets, lace curtains, and, in fact, everything in the stock is reduced to wholesale cost and in some instances below. It is seldom that such an opportunity is offered and intending purchasers will do unusually well to take advantage of this offer now as the sale will be of short duration. jy164*

For Over Fifty Years.

A correspondent from Cardwell to the Truckee Republican regarding the Meadow Lake mines writes encouragingly of the outlook for that district.

The town of Cardwell is rapidly assuming the appearance of a boom town.

Buildings are springing up like mushrooms after a shower. The hotel is ready for business and the refreshment joints have been established. An assay office will be one of the features of the camp in a few days. A four horse daily stage is now running to Cisco and is well patronized.

Men are being put to work as rapidly as arrangements can be made and it is expected that before snow flies the old Meadow Lake district will be booming.

Rentals at the Lane Hospital.

S. M. Jamison called on Frank Enyart and S. L. Laughton at the Lane Hospital, San Francisco, Wednesday and writes that both men are getting along as well as can be expected.

Mr. Enyart's sight is somewhat impaired but his eyes will be saved.

Mr. Laughton's injury was so serious that one of his eyes had to be taken out.

Dr. Barkan took a piece of steel out of the eye 3/4 of an inch long and as large around as a small darning needle.

Both men were glad to receive Reno calls.

On for Pyramid Lake.

Sheriff McInnis, U. S. Marshal Humphreys, Sam Aramako and John Sunderland, Jr., left for Pyramid Lake last night on a fishing trip.

They seemed to be confident of success as they had a complete outfit, including a larder well stocked with good things for a dry country.

They expect to return Sunday evening.

Believe That Bryan's Arguments are Unanswerable

H. L. Moody of Truckee attended two meetings where Bryan addressed thousands of people in California, and was very much impressed with his mastery over the question of bimetallism as well as Bryan's strong personality. Mr. Moody thinks Bryan's arguments in favor of free silver are unanswerable.

The Christian Endeavor Convention had its romance in San Francisco. Miss Mary B. Davis of Louisville Ky., was married to Geo. C. King, of San Francisco. They were old sweethearts but their union had been discouraged by the bride's parents and the young man came west. They had not met for six years until they met in San Francisco and the old love returned with a happy rekindling.

Rev. Hugh Lamont uncle of one of the girls slain by Durrant visited the prisoner at San Quentin on the 10th inst.

In an interview he said that he believed from the evidence that Durrant was guilty, but his demeanor was that of an innocent man. They greeted each other and conversed. Durrant insisted that he was innocent and that if his innocence was not proven before his death it certainly would be afterwards.

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GOLD MAKING IN INDIA.

The Process Used by the Native Alchemists.

Some Strange Substances Enter Into the Formula and a Task of Great Intricacy Is Performed.

For a long time in India the apparent transmutation of tin, zinc, copper and mercury into precious metals has been practiced. We have seen there with our own eyes a metal like gold issuing from the crucible of the Indian alchemist—a metal that could not be told from real gold by means of the touchstone. We may say, however, that in old India, as well as in young America, they have not yet succeeded in giving to the metal thus obtained the chemical properties of gold. On this point they are not more advanced in the one country than in the other, and the problem seems to us not to be near solution. The metal obtained can, in fact, be decomposed into its constituent elements. Nevertheless it may be interesting to present to public notice the Indian alchemists and to describe their methods. Around these personages many legends have sprung up. The people assert that they never come into a city except by divine inspiration in order to cure illness and to enrich certain persons. There is a belief among the Hindus, very widespread, but probably false, that they disappear at certain hours to rejoin the citizens, divine naturalists of the early ages of India, who, according to Hindu tradition, meet with their divinity, Huri Ishari, on the summits of the Himalayas, to learn the secrets of nature.

The following is the method employed by these Indian alchemists to make their gold: We give literally, conforming to the weights and measures in use in India, the list of substances necessary for this delicate operation. These are, according to our documents:

Sulfur of Nelli-Kai (phyllanthus emblica), 24 rupees' weight (7 ounces). White seeds of Abra precatorius, 9 rupees' weight (2 1/2 ounces). One whole garlic.

Cinnabar, 6 rupees' weight (2 ounces). English opopanax, 6 rupees' weight. Sal ammoniac, 6 rupees' weight.

These are powdered separately, and then a paste is made of the whole, with three quarts of "paddy" made of the milky juice of asclepias curassavica. The whole is ground up with this milk. Then little hard balls are made of the mixture, and finally two sattis are taken, of fine, hard earthenware, of such size that the material to be distilled occupies only one-third or one-fourth of the vessel. On the lower vessel another satti is soldered with potter's earth, after an opening has been made in the end of this second vase. Over this hole is fitted a bottle whose end is pierced, and it is carefully sealed to the vase. Into the lower vase are put the little balls described above, and the vase is then sealed up.

The powder, when vaporized, rises along the sides of the bottle and condenses around the hole. It is collected with a feather. Then zinc is taken; for each rupee's weight of zinc is allowed a quantity of the powder as large as two or three rice grains. The zinc and the powder are wrapped up together in a bit of paper or linen or a leaf. The whole is put into a crucible, which is then sealed with a paste composed of one part of cowdung, one of charcoal and one of potter's earth. This is placed in a fire of wood charcoal and heated white hot, after which it is allowed to cool. Open the crucible—you are a rich man!—Paris Cosmos.

INDEPENDENCE DID NOT PAY.

She Made a Great Mistake, for Her Bluff Was Taken Seriously.

"The meanness of some people passes my comprehension," declared the strong-minded girl as she dashed into the club meeting. "If I was as mean and stupid as some people I'd choose a nice shady corner of the country and die there!"

"What's the matter? Won't your father give you money to pay your election bets with, or has Charlie struck in the matter of flowers and theater tickets?"

"They haven't done just either of the things, but they're as mean as dirt, nevertheless. This is the way they've acted:

"You know how I've always wanted a big camera. Well, papa never would get me one, and Charlie has absolutely refused to take my hints on the subject too. So one night recently I said I was going to save up for one, and I thought that would do the business. But it didn't. Papa merely laughed and said he'd buy me a banjo to purchase it—the banjo, not the camera. And, of course, I couldn't do a thing but smile and say pretty things; profess I liked to be independent and that sort of chatter. I never do know when to hold my tongue."

"So, last night Charlie brought the bank to me, and what do you think, girls! It was one of those hand-painted china affairs which won't open, and it's quite too pretty to break, so you see what a fix I'm in. And papa and Charlie both put in a five-dollar gold piece too. And then this morning mamma told me that if I hadn't said so much about wanting to buy the camera myself, Charlie was going to buy me a lovely one. Now, what do you all think of that for luck?"—Chicago Times-Herald.

The Greatest Snokers.

The Hollander, who is usually stocky and plump, and seems to have no nerves, uses an average of 100 ounces of tobacco a year, which is equalled in no other country. The Belgian comes next with 80 ounces, and the Turk consumes 70. In this country, which is fourth, the average is 60 ounces.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

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